

# 2ndsundays

## FEBRUARY 9, 2025 OPEN HOUSE

### ONGOING THROUGHOUT THE MORNING

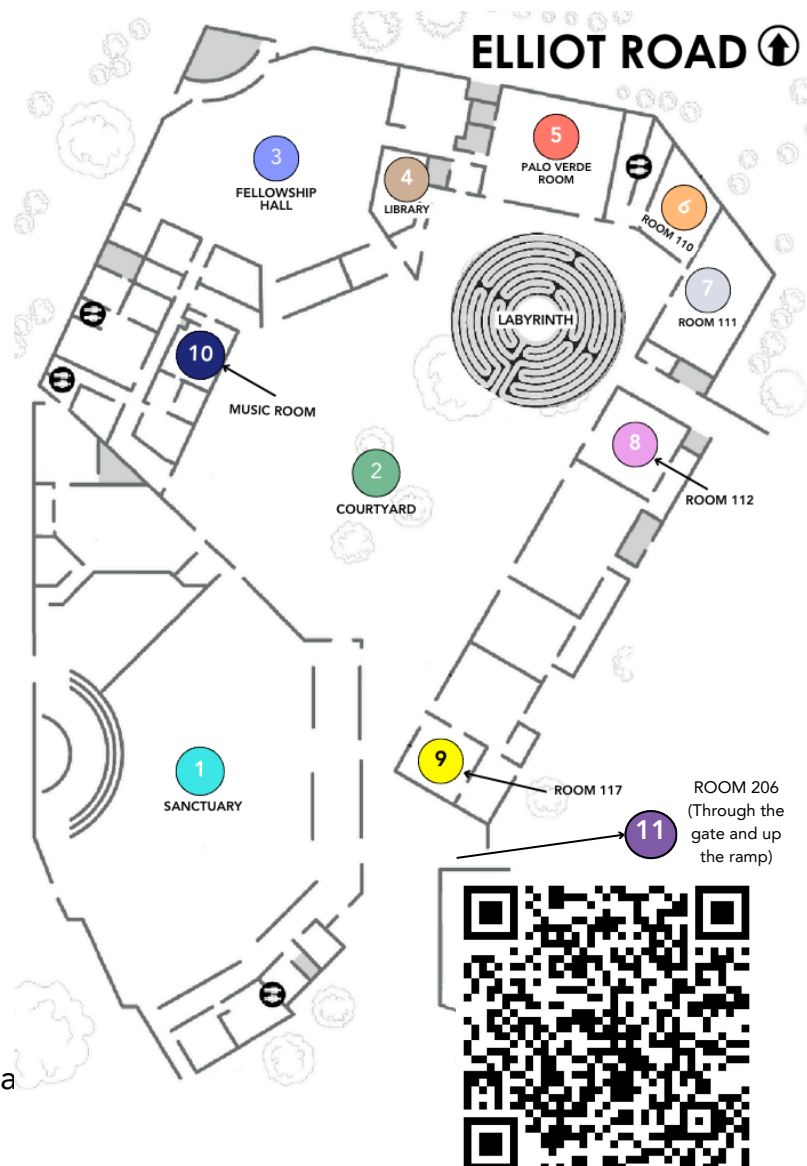
- 8:30-12:00 Breakfast & Coffee, with livestream from Sanctuary - PALO VERDE ROOM (5)
- 8:30-12:00 Browse Books - LIBRARY (4)
- 8:30-12:30 Self-Guided Labyrinth Walk - COURTYARD (2)
- 9:00-12:30 Childcare - NURSERY (9)
- 9:30-12:00 Live music & more - COURTYARD (2)

### WORSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

- 8:50-9:30 Celebrating the Divine Feminine - FELLOWSHIP HALL (3)
- 8:50-9:20 Sacred Space Service - SANCTUARY (1)
- 10:00-10:45 Kids' Church & Sunday School - ROOM 206 (11)
- 10:00-10:45 Traditional Celebration Service - SANCTUARY (1)

### OTHER OPPORTUNITIES

- 9:00-9:45 The Challenge of Jesus - ROOM 112 (8)
- 9:20-9:50 Communion and Prayer Corners - FELLOWSHIP HALL (3)
- 10:30-11:00 Jr. and Sr. High Youth - ROOM 111 (7)
- 10:45-11:00 Communion/Prayer Corners - SANCTUARY (1)
- 11:00-11:40 Love Lessons Relationship Workshop - PALO VERDE ROOM (5)
- 11:00-11:40 Relaxation Yoga Nidra / Sound Bathing Meditation - ROOM 112 (8)



## You'll find a lot to choose from on 2nd Sundays, with childcare offered all morning.

### **Celebrating the Divine Feminine** 8:50-9:30am - Fellowship Hall

On the second Sunday of each month, we invite all to celebrate with us as we open God's story with inclusive eyes at how the feminine aspects of God impact our lives. The feminine energy that flowed through our sisters in biblical times is the same energy that flows through us today.

### **Sacred Space** 8:50-9:20am - Sanctuary

Join us for Sacred Space, a brief contemplative service to start your week. Cutting through the chaos and the clutter of our world, this is an uncomplicated time for readings, music, and prayer.

### **Discussion: The Challenge of Jesus** 9:00-9:45am - Room 112

Based on John Dominic Crossan's insightful look at the Life of Jesus—the real person behind the Gospel accounts. This session will include two short video clips and an opportunity to discuss our reactions.

### **Kids' Church & Sunday School** 10:00-10:45am - Room 206

Second Sunday Kids' Church is for kids in Pre-K through 6th grade. It features song time with Ms. Julie, mini-lessons with Katie and Charlotte the puppet, skits by the youth, and Scripture reading with age-appropriate activities, crafts, and games led by the Sunday school teachers. Parents are welcome to stay. Children under four should go the nursery.

### **Traditional Celebration Service** 10:00-10:45am - Sanctuary

Here's everything you love about the classic church service: choir, organ, scripture, sermon and prayer, all with the open-mindedness and inclusiveness that Dayspring is famous for.

### **Communion & Prayer Corners** 9:20-9:50 and 10:45-11:00am - Sanctuary

Stop by the Communion and/or Prayer Corner as one of our current or retired pastors will offer communion and where our specially trained Stephen Ministers will sit with anyone in need of prayer.

### **Love Lessons Relationships Seminar** 11:00am - Palo Verde Room

Dr. Gary Lovejoy will present a topic and facilitate a discussion on various aspects of communication and conflict management, as well as strategies for change. Whether or not you are currently in a relationship, the topics and discussion may be of interest or helpful to any loving connection, including those of families and friendships.

### **Relaxation Yoga Nidra / Sound Bath Healing Meditation** 11:00am - Room 112

Please join us for 40 minutes of pure relaxation, designed to quiet the mind and calm the nervous system. Sit in a chair or lie on a mat while you are guided into a sleep-like state with soothing words and sound instruments such as wind chimes and Tibetan bowls.

### [And, should you find yourself with time between events...](#)

**ENJOY SOMETHING TO EAT OR DRINK:** You'll find breakfast burritos, fruit, drinks and coffee in the Palo Verde Room. Eat inside (where you can watch what's happening in the Sanctuary) or at tables on the courtyard.

**LISTEN TO MUSIC:** Beth Lederman will be playing the keyboard in the Courtyard starting at 9:40, and there's a full choir with piano and organ in the 10 o'clock service in the Sanctuary.

**WALK THE LABYRINTH:** Enjoy a self-guided labyrinth experience available in the courtyard. We have a great treasure in our midst that can truly add to our search for a deeper meaning of life with God. Given other events going on in the courtyard, this contemplative practice may be best in the 8:30-9:30 hour, before the music, but is available all morning.

**BROWSE BOOKS:** The Dayspring Library will be open all morning if you need a quiet spot to do some reading or browse our collection for a book to check out.